

## RIDES 465 MILES ON 'BIKE' TO JOIN FLAME BATTALION

Roland P. Guillaume, of Buffalo, N. Y., is a full-fledged rookie in the gas and flame battalion of the Thirtieth Engineers, in camp at American University, today after pedaling 465 miles on a bicycle to offer his services to his country.

Guillaume was turned down in an examination for the aviation corps. He wanted to get into a branch of the service where there would be real action, so he chose the gas and flame service as the next best when he was turned down for aviation.

On physical examination Guillaume was found to be under weight, but engineers officers waived the minimum weight regulations to take in a man who had thus demonstrated his eagerness for real fighting service.

Presence of American forces on the fighting line in France has stimulated recruiting. For the country at large yesterday 1,000 recruits for the regular army were reported. The State of Maryland, with eleven recruits, reached its regular army quota of 2,500. Eleven new soldiers were added to the army rolls by recruiting offices in Washington.

## SCHOOLS TO BE CLOSED FOR TEACHERS' MEETINGS

The public schools will be closed tomorrow and Friday, when the annual Teachers' Institute holds its sessions, Superintendent of Schools Ernest L. Thurston announced today.

The white school teachers will meet in the Central High School, and the colored teachers will meet in Dunbar High School.

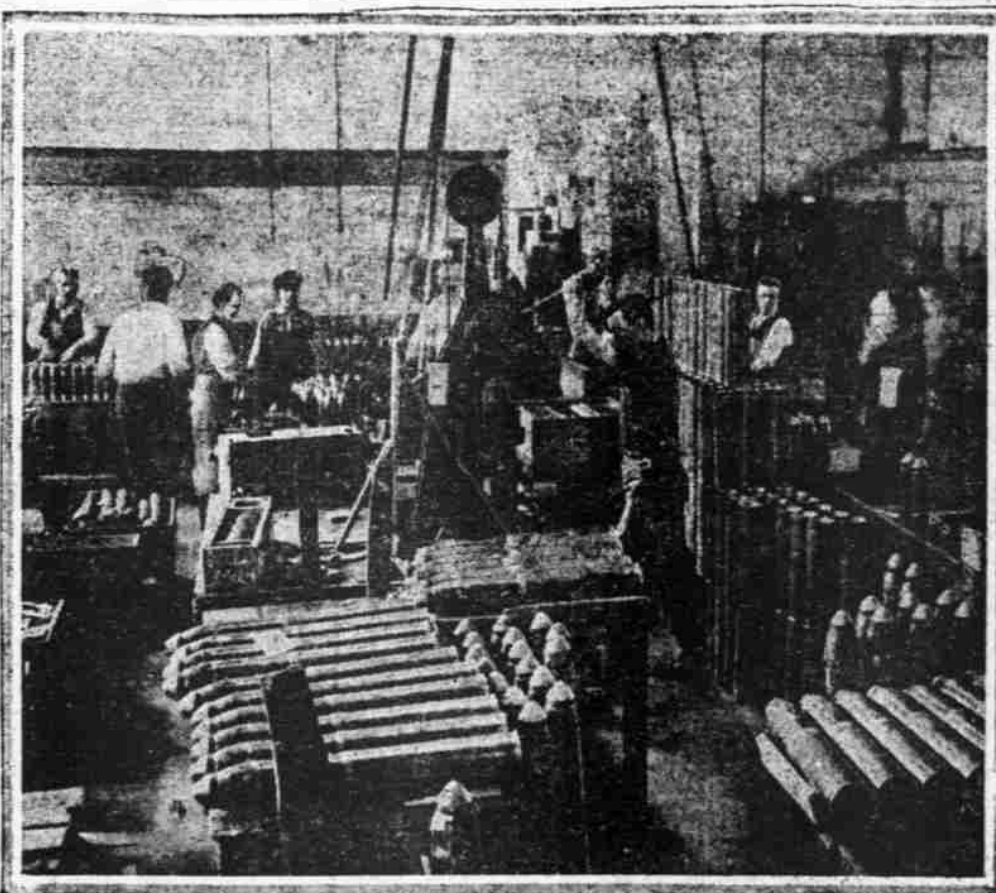
Mr. Thurston continued today to receive telegrams from prominent educators accepting the invitation to address the teachers.

H. B. Wilson, superintendent of schools in Topeka, Kan.; Dr. Henry Johnson, of Columbia University, New York; Mrs. Helen T. Woolley, director of the vocational bureau, Cincinnati, Ohio; Dr. W. E. Kellicott, ofoucher College, Baltimore, and Miss Jessie H. Hancock, of the department of physical training of the New York public schools, are among the prominent educators on the program.

## VILLA'S BANDITS KILL 125.

JUAREZ, Mexico, Nov. 7.—The Mexican Central passenger train, which was attacked by Villa followers at Armeriz station, south of Chihuahua City, Sunday, arrived last night. One hundred and twenty-five soldiers and passengers were killed. Every one on the train was robbed and made to disrobe, even the clothing of the women and children being taken by the Villistas for their camp followers. The messenger for an American company in Mexico is missing and so is \$100,000 worth of silver bullion which he was bringing to the border.

## Making Shells For Boys in France



This photograph was made in American factories, where workmen are preparing shells for our artillery at the front. Each day thousands of these shells are completed and started on the road to the section of the battle line in France which the "Sammys" will be expected to hold against the Germans. This is said to be the first time since the beginning of the war that the Government has allowed such photographs to be made for publication.

## AGED MAN, HIT BY AUTO, NEAR DEATH AT HOSPITAL

William E. De Rimer, sixty-eight years old, of 2443 Eighteenth street northwest, lies at Emergency Hospital today with serious injuries as a result of being struck by an automobile driven by Harry C. Birge, real estate operator, of 1326 New York avenue.

The accident occurred at Dupont Circle at the intersection of New Hampshire avenue. De Rimer had started across the street when the automobile, going at moderate speed, struck him.

## Berlin Warns World Venice Art Center Will Be Attacked

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 7.—Commenting on the Austro-German advance in the direction of Venice, the semi-official Berlin news agency prepares the public for an attack on the famous art center. It contends that Venice has developed into an important center of war industries.

## COMMONS VOTES DOWN PROPOSAL FOR PEACE

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The aims for which Great Britain entered the war were not and are not either imperialistic or vindictive, but are the emancipation and security of Europe, according to A. J. Balfour, secretary for foreign affairs, who replied in the House of Commons to a peace proposal by E. B. Lees-Smith, Liberal member for Northampton. Closure was moved amid loud cheers and carried by 252 to 33. Mr. Lees-Smith's motion then was negatived without division.

## PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF CAR LINES IS PLAN OF CITIZENS

Columbia Heights Citizens' Association today is on record as favoring Government ownership of street car companies. At a meeting of the organization, held last night, W. I. Swanton, Harry A. L. Barker, Dr. Seneca Bain, H. W. Nichols, and J. Clinton Hatt, were appointed by Frederick J. Rice, president of the association, a committee to draw up resolutions and present them to the authorities.

Herbert C. Hoover, National Food Administrator, was the principal speaker at last night's meeting. Mr. Hoover said: "There is plenty of food in the United States for ourselves, we are alone to be considered, but we have the problem of feeding our soldiers, feeding the soldiers of our allies, feeding the civilian population of the allied nations, and allowing neutral countries foodstuffs which they urgently need."

"All purchases of food for our own Government, for the allied countries and neutral countries are now coordinated under one head, which is spending \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 monthly."

Clarence R. Wilson, food administrator for the District of Columbia, asked that the local food conservation be made a success.

"We shall start our drive for pledges on November 29," said Mr. Wilson. "I expect to have 2,000 workers in the city."

Lieut. Albert J. Headley, head of the traffic squad, said the Police Department had made great strides in handling traffic and that street accidents were becoming less numerous each day.

## BRITISH SINK FOUR "CONTROLLED" BOATS

LONDON, Nov. 7.—In regard to the attack Saturday by an electrically controlled boat on British vessels on the Belgian coast, this kind of craft has been known by the naval authorities for a considerable time. For such boats already have been destroyed.

They are regarded by the admiralty as freak vessels. The first came to grief by running into a pier on the German coast. Two others were destroyed six weeks ago. It is explained that the boats have petrol engines and are electrically controlled from land and conveyed by aeroplanes.

## HOSPITAL STAFF MEN RESIGN TO JOIN ARMY

John W. Hart, superintendent of the Emergency Hospital, and Dr. Ralph H. Davis, resident physician at the hospital, resigned today to enter the army. Dr. Paul E. Putnik, resident surgeon, has taken the examination for a commission in the Medical Reserve Corps, and is planning to leave the hospital at the beginning of the year.

Mr. Hart has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Sanitary Corps and will take up his duties immediately. Dr. Davis has also received his commission as a first lieutenant in the Medical Reserve Corps.

Mr. Hart has been the superintendent of Emergency Hospital since June 15 of this year. He received his education in the local schools and was once a member of the District National Guard. He was first sergeant in the field hospital corps and served eight months on the Mexican border.

Dr. Davis, the resident physician, is from New York.

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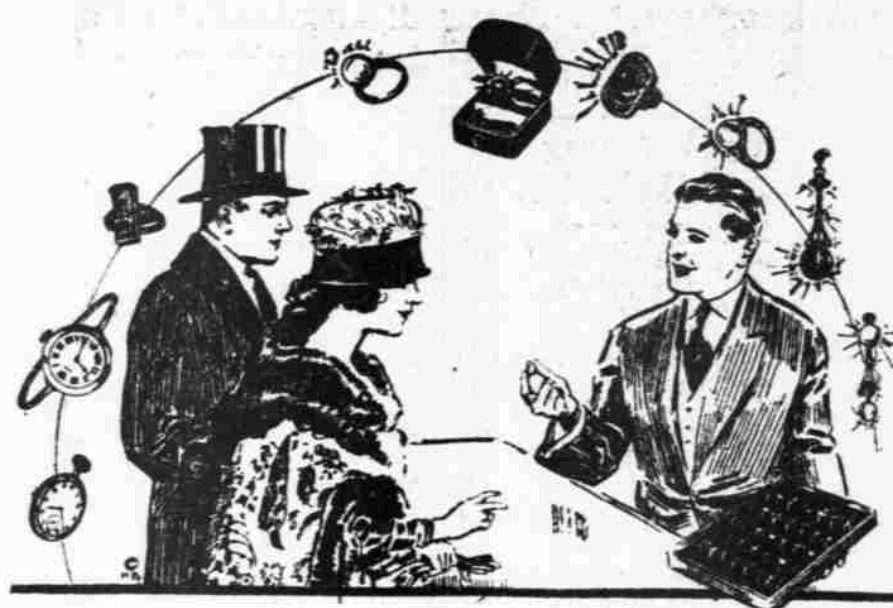
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